

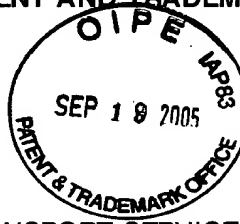
IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application No.: 09/980,759

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Title: RELIABLE DATAGRAM TRANSPORT SERVICE



Confirmation No.: 4267

Examiner: Sean M. Reilly

Group Art Unit: 2153

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
() No additional fee
(X) Other: Return Postcard (fee \$)

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | |
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| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 20 | MINUS | 20 | = 0 | X \$50 | \$ 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 2 | MINUS | 3 | = 0 | X \$200 | \$ 0 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$360 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$120.00 | 2ND MONTH \$450.00 | 3RD MONTH \$1020.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1590.00 | | \$ 0 |
| OTHER FEES | | | | | | \$ |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$ 0 |

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed July 15, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: